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SUBJ: UNCTAD TDB XIV: G-77 DRAFT RESOLUTION ON STRENGTHENING
UNCTAD ITEM 4

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF G-77 DRAFT RESOLUTION ON
STRENGTHENING THE ACTIVITIES OF UNCTAD WHICH WILL BE
CONSIDERED IN CONTACT GROUP PARALLEL TO RESOLUTION ON
COMMODITIES. GROUP B WILL CONSIDER RESOLUTION SEPTEMBER 10.
NO ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE NEEDED AT PRESENT.

THE TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD,

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT PARAGRAPH 4 OF CHAPTER IX OF
GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3202 (S-VI) WHICH CALLED FOR THE
STRENGTHENING OF UNCTAD ACTIVITIES FOR THE PRUPOSE OF
FOLLOWING IN COLLABORATION WITH OTHER COMPETENT ORGANI-
ZATIONS THE DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN RAW
MATERIALS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD,

BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS DECISION OF THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY WAS TAKEN AS PART OF THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION,

BEARING IN MIND ALSO THE RESPONSIBILITIES FUNCTIONS AND
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ACTIVITIES OF UNCTAD AS CONFERRED ON IT BY GENERAL
ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1995 (XIX) WHICH ESTABLISHED

UNCTAD AND WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO PARAGRAPHS 3 AND 23 (A) OF THIS RESOLUTION, AND RELATED UNCTAD RESOLUTIONS, NOTABLY TDB RESOLUTION 7 (I) ON THE TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE ON COMMODITIES.

HAVING CONSIDERED THE REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF UNCTAD ON THIS MATTER (TD/B/497).

CONVINCED OF THE NEED AND URGENCY TO STRENGTHEN THE ACTIVITIES OF UNCTAD FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER.

1. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF UNCTAD TO TAKE THE NECESSARY MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN THE WORK OF UNCTAD IN THE COLLECTION ANALYSIS, INTERPRETATION AND DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ALONG THE LINES SUGGESTED IN HIS REPORT TD/B/497, AND TO SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE BOARD AT ITS 6TH SPECIAL SESSION ON THE MEASURES HE MAY HAVE TAKEN, INCLUDING ADDITIONAL SPECIFIC PROPOSALS WHICH MAY REQUIRE THE CONSIDERATION OR DECISION OF THE BOARD.
2. URGES MEMBER GOVERNMENTS TO CO-OPERATE FULLY WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF UNCTAD IN THE COLLECTION AND THE PROVISION OF STATISTICAL AND OTHER INFORMATION AND IN THE MONITORING OF DEVELOPMENTS IN THE FIELD OF COMMODITIES AND THE COMPETING SYNTHETICS SUBSTITUTES.
3. INVITES THE CO-OPERATION IN THIS WORK OF OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, NOTABLY FAO, THE WORLD BANK, THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND, GATT AND THE SPECIALIZED BODIES."

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